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- ☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- ☒ Cover page
- ☒ 14 pages of Specification, consisting of 9 pages of description, 4 pages of Claims and 1 page of Abstract;
- ☒ 6 sheets of drawings;
- ☒ Appendix (1 page containing Table A)
- ☐ An **Assignment** of the invention to: **SpectraDisc Corporation**, Providence, RI, USA **will follow**;
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (and Form PTO-1449 with copies of cited documents);

This U.S. Patent Application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) from Provisional Patent Application No.: 60/254,608, filed **December 11, 2000**.

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